

Project Title Coastal Enterprises, Inc.

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Highlights Coastal Enterprises, Inc. is offering IDAs for

homeownership, post-secondary education, and

microenterprise. The match rate is \$1 to \$1 up to \$2,000 in participant savings over 36 months. In addition to core training, participants can access employment support,

counseling, and credit repair.

Target Population Maine.

Grantee/Collaborative Description CTE, Inc. has operated an IDA program since 1998 and is

expanding work under this collaboration with four CAAs. CTE is training CAAs, providing them with technical assistance, and managing the IDAs. Each CAA handles recruitment, intake, case management, opening participant

IDAs, and training/related support for participants.